Translated regulation

Supreme Decree 012-2020-PRODUCE

Article 1. Objective

This Supreme Decree aims to authorize the National Fisheries Health Agency (SANIPES) to develop a pilot project to optimize the health criteria for the processing of fishery products for direct human consumption, for export purposes, contributing to the economic reactivation of the country.

### Article 2. Purpose

This Supreme Decree aims to promote the reactivation and diversification of processing activities through a pilot project that identifies potential opportunities for innovation in fisheries and aquaculture processing activities, on the proposal of the operators of that production chain for the development of new products.

It also includes the adoption of measures to enable the continuous supply of raw materials, of national or imported origin, of hydrobiological resources or products, the joint development of applied technology and training to processing personnel, and the ongoing accompaniment to verify the production process and sanitary conditions under which it is developed, as appropriate.

### Article 3. Implementing Authority

Authorize SANIPES to lead and implement the pilot project referred to in Article 1 of this Supreme Decree and is entitled to establish the temporary measures that are necessary for its initiation and development. SANIPES evaluates the development and results of the pilot project, within the framework of its competences, in order to propose or approve any regulatory improvements that may correspond, during the implementation of the pilot project or within thirty calendar days after its completion.

# Article 4. Minimum conditions to participate in the pilot project

The pilot project referred to in Article 1 of this Supreme Decree may involve the operator license holders of industrial fisheries processing plants for direct human consumption and health clearance in force, who express their interest in participating in it, before the authority responsible for driving and implementing the pilot project.

## Article 5. Duration of the pilot project

The duration of the pilot project referred to in Article 1 of this Supreme Decree does not exceed the twelve-month period from the implementation of the pilot project by SANIPES.

#### Article 6. Publication

This Supreme Decree is published on the Institutional Portal of the Ministry of Production (www.gob.pe/produce), on the Institutional Portal of the National Fisheries Health Agency (www.sanipes.gob.pe) and on the Peruvian State Portal(www.peru.gob.pe), on the same day as its publication in the Official Gazette El Peruano.

#### Article 7. Endorsement

This Supreme Decree is endorsed by the Minister of Production.

#### FINAL COMPLEMENTARY PROVISION

Sole. This Supreme Decree will come into force from August 15, 2020.

### **COMPLEMENTARY PROVISION**

Only. Deadline for expression of interest Holders of operating licenses for industrial fisheries processing plants for direct human consumption wishing to participate in the pilot project referred to in Article 1 of this Supreme Decree, express their interest within thirty calendar days from the validity of this Supreme Decree. Given at the Government House, in Lima, twenty-four days after July of the year two thousand twenty.